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Amendments to the Claims:

The following Listing of Claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims

Please cancel claims 7 to 19 without prejudice.

20. (Currently Amended) An index card assembly comprising:

a paper layer having a writeable front side and an opposite writeable back side, the paper layer having an upper edge with a paperless zone that includes a gap across the upper edge a lower edge with a second paperless zone that includes a second gap across the lower edge; and

a cover layer having an outer face and an inner face, the cover layer having pressure sensitive adhesive disposed on its inner face, with the cover layer adhered thereby to the front side of the paper layer to cover the paperless zone in an alignment where a top edge of the cover layer extends across the gap of the paperless zone and the adhesive on the inner face of the cover layer is exposed across the paperless zone on the back side of the paper layer; and

The index card assembly of claim 7 wherein the back side of the paper layer is writeable, and further comprising:

the paper layer has a lower edge with a second paperless zone that includes a gap across the lower edge; and

a second cover layer having an outer face and an inner face, the second cover layer having pressure sensitive adhesive disposed on its inner face, with the cover layer adhered thereby to the back side of the paper layer to cover the second paperless zone in an alignment where a bottom edge of the second cover layer extends across the gap of the second paperless zone and the adhesive on the inner face of the second cover layer is exposed across the second paperless zone on the front side of the paper layer.